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Attorney General John Ashcroft
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Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I am writing first to congratulate you on reaching a settlement in the Microsoft anti-trust case. I would like to see you make sure this settlement is completed.

The settlement that was reached will create more competitiveness in the IT industry. This settlement requires Microsoft to share both internal interfaces and formerly secret code with competing software firms. This means that the competitors will have unprecedented access to Microsoft code and be able to compete as never before. Those that claim this settlement is weak are simply wrong.

Full implementation of this settlement should be a priority for your people. I appreciate you taking time to consider my views on this issue.

Sincerely,

Steve Miller